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Hongkong, March 15th, 1907. WE have received from the 8. P. C. K. a book entitled "Early Chinese History : Are the Chinese Classics brged?" by HERBERT J. ALLEN, sometime H.B.M. errors of the past, destroying the foundations of religious belief. We have therefore no reason to express our surprise at the shown himself an adept n historical criticism, or had made a deep study of the canons of philological research, we could have welcomed his little work as a valuable assistance to our knowledge of the past of extreme Oriental history. Mr. Allen is unfortunately a tyro in both these sciences, and so his attempt to introduce some measure of commonsense inb that very bizarre subject, Chinese schukrship, will, in the first instance at least, have rather the contrary tendency. In the log run it is

doubtless a gain to the cause of knowledge reject them as useless towards our object of payana had two sons. Dhritarashtra which has been erected the structure mis- has frequently a part to play more importnamed Chinese History, should be exposed, ant than pretended history itself, as not but in seeking to demolish one unsubstantial being subject to falsification to the same structure Mr. Allen has only succeeded in extent; and in this case we find that the substantial. While it may be affirmed degree even those of the more corrupt "Shu equally untrustworthy.

the corresponding words, nor act as a the early history of Zoroastrianism. some three or four generations after the to the probable forgery of the mass of the death of the Master that his historical the "conversations" of the sage contained found here and there amidst the mass of in the "Lünyü," bear on their very face the evidence of still later, probably Han, time of T'sin Shi Hwangti, was, as we learn from the nearly contemporary record in the "Shi Ki," in but an incheate condition: and SSEMA TSIEN records how the minister Lisse was the first to introduce a method of writing which could be intelligible in the various languages and dialects then current,

We must then dismiss as little more than a fable the pretended burning of the ancient "literature" put forward by the literates of age ability can permit himself to descend however, can throw a very important another age as a screen to their own barefaced, and generally ignorant forgeries. That in a moment of anger at the tirades of the scholar Shun Yuyuen, who essayed to teach him how to rule the State his prowess had won, SHI HWANGTI did order his books to be burnt is likely enough, but SSEMA T'sien does not add that the hasty order was ever carried out. The absence of the books was, in fact, mainly brought about by their non-existence, added to the general confusion of the times. It is perhaps a pie a of good fortune, in some respects at least, that the recension of the ancient liter ry remains should have failen to the lot of the ignorant scholars of the Han, sons, both of whose descendants possessed the inasmuch as the style of the few genuine remains still existing is in marked contrast down to dwell on the river Chiang. The other the productions of the forgers. It is

however, unfortunately a fact that owing to a woman from the hills of Shu (i.e. Szechwan the primitive and imperfect system under which the ordinary student, more especially should be belong to one of the "services." learns Chinese, that the personal study of: style is not encouraged, and the text is gen rally droned out in a vernacular paraphrase wherein all consciousness of the rhythm of the original is completely obscured.

Mr. ALLEN has thus been led to confuse

the few genuine remains with the vast and prependerating mass of verbiage in which they are concented. Another disability arises from the very nature of the medium The authentic works of antiquity have alt been handed down orally, many of the ballads of the "Shi King" for close on a thousand years, before at last they were committed to writing. During this period: the language underwent a profound change; Consul at Newchwang. The S. P. C. K, from being like its neighbours in the West have before this shown themselves superior an inflected speech, it suffered the usual to that vulgar credulity which would retard decay to which language is subjected when as Kaoyang. Kaoyang had the ability of the progress of Christian knowledge in the learned by an alien race; and became future, through the ill-founded fear of, reduced to what may be best described through a trank acknowledgment of the for the understanding of Jour readers, a "pidgin," wherein first all inflections were sloughed off, and secondly the remains of the speech which survived Society having given its exequatur to this became reduced to one of monotonous mono. somewhat crude production of ilr. HERDERT | syllables. Regarding the antiquity of these ALLEN'S. Hitherto credulity from various fragments it may be said that the oldest do ing forgeries, had not the gift of imaginacauses, principally ignorance and remoteness | not date back more than a thousand years from the schools of modern thought, have B.C., and that the earliest figure that reigned supreme in China, so that Sinology | emerges from the mass of tradition is the has come to be a byeword in the historical forerunner of the petty kingdom of the and philological world. If Ma Allen had Cheos, whom about 1,200 B.C. we find and Panelavas. The outlines of the story released. appearing in the then comparatively fertile were in the hands of every Indian Buddhist earlier muth is undeniable, but the myth is the Christian era as blown leaves in autumn sense; and belongs to the same body of ancient myth as underlies the stories of Aryan India, of the ancient land of Iran,

> But the rejection of these fragments as veritable history by no means implies that we are to condemn them as forgeries, or

of far off Hellas itself.

in general that the very suspicious fabric on restoring history. In this respect myth (T'singyang), who lived by the river erecting another equally flimsy and un- myths of the "Shi King," and in a lesser without fear of contradiction that the fabric | King," prove to fit in wonderfully with the which has up to the present passed current still more badly manipulated tales of the as "History" in China is a thing of inven- Indian Mahabharata and Ramayana tion and burefaced forgery, it does not especially the former. As there is no possiuecessarily follow that all the evidences on bility of the one having been founded on which it is pretended to be founded are the other, and each describes the position of affairs in the lands north of the Himalayas | Swarga (Chwanhuk). We have been careful in not using in at the same epoch, we are justified in drawing connection with these evidences the term conclusions where both are in harmony, and Sovereigns" and "Five Emperors" documents, because we may safely assume | we are thus enabled to carry back the main | investigation equally turn out to be mere that there are not, and never have been any facts of the history of the Aryan races in rehashes of comparatively late Indian stories, documents in the case. The invention of | both the north of India and in the plains of | and it is not till we arrive at the Tis (devas). writing in China is a thing of comparatively | Eastern Turke stau for some hundreds of | Yao and Shun that we come on even a late growth, and was even in the days of years. More, the juxtaposition of the two genuine myth. The myths never had their Confucius in so embryonic a state that throws a flood of light on the connection of though it might be made to represent facts | both with the early Iranians, and so, exemto a certain extent, it could not express plifies some of the more debated points in

medium for thought. It was not indeed till | So much for Mr. Allen's suggestion as extant Chinese Classics. In endeavouring were reduced to writing; and the record of far as they go, remains of antiquity to be rubbish denominated the "Chinese Classics" we must not be supposed to have a word to reduction to writing. Writing during the say in favour of that extraordizary association of misuaderstood myth and downright untruth and forgery which has up to this been miscalled Chinese "History." For it Mr. Allen has hardly spoken in sufficiently strong terms of reprobation. Mr. ALLEN gives a series of translations from Sauma efforts, when he attempts for himself to study by the oriental scholar. make history, may be looked upon as one of the strongest proofs of his atter incapacity to have forged any of the existing-classics. Unfortunately Mr. Allen has made an attempt in his translation to render into to represent proper names; the effect is as magistrate in the Second Court. bizarre-almost as much so as Ssema's own attempts to invent history. Here are a few lines copied faithfully :

"Yellow Emperor lived on the hillock of Hsien-yuan, and married a daught-r of Western empire. One of them was called Hsuan-hsino; this was Ching-yang (Azure Male) who came called Ch'ang-yi (Splendid Idea) came down to dwell on the Jo water. Ch'ang-yi married province), who was called Ch'ang pu (Splendid Servant). She bore a son Kao-yan (High Male) who had the virtue of a holy man. Yellow for Manila. Emperor died and was buried at Chiaoshan (Bridge mountain), and his grandson, Ch'ang. vi's son, High Male, that is Emperor Chuan-bau, came to the throne."

Now we may much simplify this, whill at the same time translating more faithfully. Headquarters. if we treat the Chinese characters simply as the sounds, for which alone they were intended, without striving to introduce into them an element of hidden meaning never intended. Such is, as anyone can see by ten minutes' investigation of the Chinese shop signs in the Queen's Road, the practice of the Chinese with regard to foreign proper names. With this explana-

tion we may proceed with our story: "Hwangti lived at the Hienyuen hills, and married a woman of Siling called Leitsu. as his favourite wife. She bore him two sons. the descendents of both of whom subsequently occupied the throne : one of these was called a woman from the Shuk Mountains called controlled, though the attendance of the firemen Changpuk, who gave birth to a son known a sage. Hwangti did and was buried at done to the extent of \$1,500. The premises K'iaoshan, and Kaoyang, who was the son of were insured for \$7,400. his grandson Ch'angvi, succeeded; he was

the Emperor Chwenhu." be accepted as history in any sense. But the Chinese chroniclers, though they were ready to put forward as genuine the most unblush. tion, but were dependent on older stories. The source of inspiration here is the Mahabharata, the great Indian epic which Feng as his accomplice. Fortunately for Feng tells of the internecine wars of the Kauravas the charge has fallen through and he was land between Sha Chow and Lake Lop. | priest, and Indian Buddhist priests were as with same meaning, is king of the Pandavas and lives in the hills; of Gadhara: he has many wives but the best beloved is Radha, (Leitsu), who bore him two sons. Here the between the two cousins. Krishna Dwai- Neish.

Surasvati in the heart of the kingdom and Pandu, for whom however the Chine: substitutes Ch'angyik, i.e. Dwaraka (Dwaraka not being a person but the name Krishna's kingdom), who live in the remote district by the Weak water, Lake Lob. Taking advantage, seemingly of hi

absence, though the story finds another incomprehensible excuse, Dhritarashtan (1'singyang) assumes the throne, which is acquiesced in for some time; but eventually Dwaraka's grandson Karna (Kaoyang) succeeds to the throne as the Emperor

Ail the other stories of the "Three

origin in China, but can be traced to the Cheo immigrants who entered China some twelve or fifteen centuries before Christ, Here Mr. ALLEN is wrong stating in his introduction that there is of bringing letters into the colony without nothing to show how the "Chinese" people come to inhabit China. There are two errors here. The Chinese people may be 'lectures" contained in the Tso Chwen to rehabilitate the undoubtedly genuine, so allowed to have been the original inhabitants of the land, but it is certain that some twelve hundred years B.C. an alien tribe, closely connected with the Aryan settlers about the same period in Northern India, also entered China, and brought, as in the fermer case, their own language and civilisation. The early history of the two countries was in fact in the main similar. and so it is that the myths of the two, when carefully studied, show so close a resemblance. As in the case of India we cannot accept the V-das and the Nahabharata as the lid. T'sien's work, the "Sbi Ki " or "Historical having any claims to be called historic, so Record," which show to what a bathes neither can we look upon the ballads of of absurdity a man of more than aver- China as truthful records of the past. Both, when be leaves the straight path of historical light on the primitive conditions of Eastern truth. The very absurdity of Seema's Asia, and both are equally well-worthy of

> The widding of the son of His Excellency Wu Ting Fang to the eldest daughter of the Hon Dr. Ho Kai took place yesterday.

Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, who has just returned English the characters used by the author from holiday, will in a day or two take his seat

> Vicercy Shum has not yet gone to Szechwan as commanded. He has pleaded continued ill-health, and a temporary substitute has been

The operations associated with the annua mobilisation took place on Wednesday and Thursday, On this occasion, for some reason, the Volunteers were not invited to take part.

The Dake and Duchess of Manchester, who | the glass were and pottery used in that part of hase been the guests of the Governor at the Empire has for many years been supplied Government House during their stay in the by Poshan, while it coal has long been esteemed colony, left yesterday in the yacht Margarita the best to be had in the native market, except

The inspection of Volunteers by His Excellency the General Officer Commanding takes place on Saturday, 23rd inst. A rebearsal will take place on Saturday at the

Theentries for the Oxford Local Examination to be held in July next closed at noon, Saturday, 9th of March, and the Fees and Entry Forms were forwarded to Oxford by the German Mail on Wednesday the 15th of March. There were 105 candidates, 16 Senior, 40 Junior and 49 Preliminary, including one girl in each section-

A fire broke out between three and four o'clock yesterday morning in the back part of the godown at 4, Si Ou Lane, and when the Brigade arrived the old difficulty with respect to water was experienced. After a considerable delay water was obtained from the sea and the C'hangyi, and lived by the Yok (Weak, or firemen were able to confine the flames to the rather Dead) Water. Changyi took to wife two buildings. By six o'clock the outbreak was was necessary till about noon. Damage was

Feng Huai-tising, one of the two men accus-It requires but little acquaintance with ed by the man Collins as his accomplices and the simplest canons of historical criticism to fellow-anarchists, has been released by Vicerov sec at once that this is "falled," and cannot, Yuan Shihkai, as it has been proved that Fing was a victim of Collins's revenge. It appears in the colony, also made a good impression. The that Feng who prior to 1904 was compradore of other soloists were Miss Tennent, Messrs. the Russo Chinese Bank at Port Arthur and Badcock, G. Lammert, L. L. Broughall, P. W. caused the arrest and punishment of Collins at Goldring, H. Williams, E. G. Jordan, J. one time in that port, in consequence of which Gibbons, Oxberry, and W. Leckie. Miss Blair the latter, when arrested for carrying bombs, gave a recitation, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan revenged himself on Feng by "confessing" appeared in a dust, Mr. Jokl contributed a

The report and statement of accounts for the That there exist a few fragments of still plentiful in China about the beginning of the Kowloon Bowling Club at the annual meeting on Monday next. The report states that not of China; it is Assatic in the widest With this hint we can read the whole the club is in a good state and that the debt tale. Krishna (the Dark) i.e. Hwangti' owing to members for louns has been considerably reduced. The membership numbers 88, three less than last year. Reference is made to the great interest taken in the matches played against the Civil Service and to the various competitions which took place during the year teller of the tale gets confused, but the for prizes presented by Messre J.M. Henderson, story proceeds on the lines of the quarrel president, A. Ritchie, vice-president, and James

The Osaka Shimpo is organising a 1,000 mile TELEGRAMS. bicycle race. The event is to take place some time next month, the route being from Osaka to Tokyo by way of Kyoto, Tsu in Ise and other places in Gifu and Prefectures on the Tokaide. Several entries have been received.

A Vladivostok telegram on February 25 said that Yi Yong-ik died there. The political efugee lately visited Japan and Europe and stayed in Shanghai for some time. A few years ago he was a very prominent figure in Seoul torpedo, followed by other explosions, and his career was rather romantic.

By order of the mortgages Mr. G P. Lammert yesterday offered for sale by publicauction Dock. A hundred men are reported Shaukiwan Inland Lot No. 10 together with all erections and premises (if any) thereon. The area of the lot is 15,28) square feet, the term of lease 75 years and the Crown rent \$78. The property was sold to Mr. Sun Cheong for \$13,200. Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master were the solicitors for the mortgagee.

A trader of Wing Lok Street, by name Lo Yin, was searched coming from the Canton steamer yesterdsy morning for oni um. Instead a number of letters addressed to shops in Hongkong but unstamped were found upon him. He was arrested and convicted by Mr. Hazeland the permission of the Postmaster General and

We dare not specifically refer to what we consider the least rubbishy of the Godown's cargo | 18th inst. of "rubbish" in No. 5; we tremble and admire. This Shanghai freelance of journalism is quite capable of doing good; but we fear that Mrs. Grundy of Hongkew will say the nakedness of Truth is obscene. As Dickens says in the "Cricket on the Hearth," "The kettle began it," and this kettle (however black the pots may call it) promises also to end it. It is a patent less. refutation of the saying that a watched kettle never boils. One Watt is said to have profited by studying a kettle; so also may Shanghailanders and others. But they must not try to tie down

Rather a pretty tale was told at the Magistracy yesterday but Mr. Melbourne did not believe it and the here, a lukeng, who was charged with assaulting a Chinese girl, was discharged without any aspersions on his record. The girl said that the defendant was eating dumplings in East Street and when he caught sight of her chopping firewood on the side walk his amorous disposition was touched and he made advances which the girl resented. Annoyed at this he told her to go upstairs as that was not a place where she should chop firewood. She did so and he followed her, striking her over the head Then he changed his mind and took her to the Police Station and charged her with a contravention of the law by breaking firewood on the footpath. The Inspector said that was a case for a summons and indicated the course to be taken. In the meantime the girl took out a summons against him for assault. As already stated, the Magistrate did not believe the girl's story and the defendant was discharged.

Poshan has a widespread reputation for its native glass ware, its pottery and its coal. All possibly hard coal. It has long been the desire of the native workers in glass to be able to produce window glass, but have never succeeded in making anything better than very small panes, and those in such small quantities, as to be quite unequal to the increasing demand. Now at last, however, a company has been started, said to be partly Chinese and partly German, which has spont several hundred thousand tack in the erection of a modern plant, from which they are now turning out window glass, under the supervision of experienced German workmen. It is to be hoped that this new enterprise may be crowned with success, for if it is, it will no doubt give employment to many workmen.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

Philanthropic motives and the desire to hear the many excellentartists who figured on the programme doubtless attracted the large audience to the City Hall last night on the occasion of the concert arranged by members of the Masonic Lodge, Naval and Military, on Japanese, had had an unfortunate effect on behalf of the widow and children of the late Staff-Segt. Blogg. Mrs. Newborn was the star of the evening. Her brilliant rendering of "Carmen" and "A . Wood land Madrigal" elicited an encore which would not be denied. Madame Collier-Perry, a recent arrival violin solo, Mr. Astlett supplied an exhibition of balancing, and Mr. J. B. Northam furnished interesting sketches. Machado's String Band gave selections during the evening, and Mr. Grimble officiated at the piano.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Indo-China str. Namsang from Calentta and the Straits left Singapore for this port on Tuesday, the 12th March, afternoon, The N.Y K. str. Kumano Moru (Australian Line) left Kobe via Moji and Nagasaki for this port on the 13th March, and is expected to in view of the present unrest in the arrive here on the 19th March. The I.G.M. str. Manila has left Sydney on Foreign Affairs, assumes the position of Tuesday the 12th inst., p.m. and may be expected here on or about April, 3rd.

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NAVAL DISASTER AT TOULON.

* London, March 13th. An explosion of a compressed-air on the battleship Jena, had frightful results. The Jena sank in Toulon killed, and 200 injured. damage was occasioned in the dockyard and in the town.

LONDON, March 14th.

The deaths from the explosion on the Jena at Toulon number 114. The cause of the disaster has not yet been discovered.

ING EDWARD AND ALFONSO.

* London, March 13th. King Alfonso is better. He will meet the King at Cartagena on the

GREAT FIRE IN ITALY.

* London, March 13th. A big fire at Borsano near Milan has made five thousand people home-

[*These telegrams, delivered late, were published in our 2 o'clock Extra yesterday.]

A HANDSOME GIFT.

London, March 14th. Mrs. Russell Sage, widow of the great American financier, has given £2,000,000 to improve social con-

NEW MILITARY OFFICE.

ditions in the United States.

London, March 14th. An extra military commander for the forces in the Mediterranean has been appointed at a salary of £5,000. The first holder is to be the Duke of Connaught, 👇

INDIAN LOAN.

London, March 14th. An Indian loan of two millions is announced.

PERSIAN AFFAIRS.

London, March 14th. Two thousand Persians have taken refuge at the British Consulate.

SENSATIONAL CHARGE.

London, March 14th

Lord William Nevill has been charged with the theft of jewelley and oail has been fixed at £10,000.

DROP IN CONSOLS.

London, March 14th. Consols are at the lowest figure they have been since 1866.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

THE UNITED STATES. London, March 12th.

The Governor of California, in his message to the Assembly, says President Roosevelt had complained to him that the action of the Legislature re excluding the President's efforts to secure the exclusion of Japanese labourers by a friendly

The State Legislature of California has decided to abstain from action on the Japanese question this session.

THE COLONIAL CONFERENCE. LONDON, March 12th.

It is announced that ex-General Botha attends the Colonial Conference.

> ACCOUNT IN A FRENCH BATTLESHIP.

London, March 12th. A compressed air torpedo bursting in the French battleship Jena lying at Toulon, exploded the magazine. There was a large crew on board, and it is feared that the explosion will result in a serious catastrophe.

BULGARIA.

London, March 12th. The death of M. Petkoff is looked upon as serious loss to the country; particularly Balkans. Dr. Stanikoff, the Minister for Premier. The assassin of M. Petkoff is a minor ex-official.

SUPREME COURT.

Thursday, March &ith. IN BANKRUPTCY.

BEFORE SIR FRANCIS PIGGOTT (CRIEF. Justick).

CHUNG SHUN KOO'S AFFAIRS. Re Chung Shun-koo ex parte Sam-Che-chuen. Mr. Looker-Your Lordship made an order that Ho Tung was to pay the costs of one of the motions in this bankruptcy. On that motion Mr. Slade appeared and certain creditors were instructed by two sets of solicitors, one solicitor appeared for two creditors, and the other for three creditors and a debtor. We submit that only one set of solicitors' costs should he allowed. Creditors should not retain separate

Bolicitors unless they paid their own costs. His Lordship-In the first place, the Taxing Master shall decide the question first, and h think certain principles are laid down in the Bankruptcy Act.

Mr. Looker-As your Lordship pleases.

Mr. Master-With reference to the same bankruptey, my Lord, about September last a sum of \$2,200 was paid into Court by the Official Receiver in order to prevent the sale of certain of the debtor's property by public auction. At that time there was some understanding after the property was eventually sold that the money should be returned. The person who paid it is the debter's brother and I am instructed to make application that the money should be repaid to him.

His Lordship-I think the simplest thing would be for the Registrar to report on the matter.

A KOWLOON FAILURE.

Re H.W.R. Matthacy ex parte the debtor. Mr. F. J. Grist (of Messre, Wilkinson and Grist) who represented the debtor, made an application on behalf of the trustee that the bankrupt might be allowed to be paid out of the estate \$250 for the maintenance of himself and family.

His Lordship-How long is that to last? Mr. Griet-It has really already been spent The debter has been in hospital for some time. and has had to support his wife and six children. He has no occupation at the present time so,

of course, is living on credit. His Lordship-is not this a case for the

Sharp hospital? Mr. Grist-Perhaps it is one of the few occasions on which the Sharp hospital would be useful; at any rate, he is out of hospital now. The application is made under section 57 of the Bankruptcy Ordinance.

His Lordship-How much is there in the estate?

Mr. Grist-Some few thousand dollars. don't know exactly how much as there is a great deal out on promissory notes

His Lordship—If he does not get employment the whole of that money will be drawn,

Mr. Grist-I don't know that one could go on moving these applications, but at the present time it is a case in which your Lordship should exercise invisdintion.

His Lordship-1he Trustee controls the funds?

Mr. Grist-Yes.

His Lordship-Very well, but I think got to sell the partnership. I should approach the management Sharp's hospital and see what can be done.

BECEIVING ORDER GRANTED. Re Ling Yau-luk ex parte the debter.

This was a debtor's application made by Mr Grist for a receiving order. An affidavit showed that the assets were \$600 cash and \$126,000 in debts. Since the affidavit was filed some of the debts had been collected and the debtor bad in hand \$4,600.

The order was granted.

as he has paid all he can pay.

RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDÉE Re Yu Eze-yu ex parte the debter. This was an application for the rescision of a receiving order in which Mr. F. B. L. Bowley represented the debtor and Mr. John Hasting's a number of creditors.

Mr. Hastings-My application is made on behalf of a oreditor, but arrangements have been arrived at between Mr. Bowley and myself, and I understand the order will be consented to.

His Lordship-Is that so, Mr. Bowley? Mr. Bowley- Yes, my friend has undertaken on behalf of the creditors to withdraw proceed. ings in China against the debtor's estate

His Lordship granted the application. DEBTOR'S RELEASE LEFCSED.

Re Kwok Ying-man ex parte the debtor. Mr. C. D. Thomson appeared to apply for the debtor's release under sub section 3 of section 10 of the Bankrupey Ordinance, and Mr. F. B

L. Bowley opposed the application. ...Mr. Thomson stated that debtor was at present a prisoner under a writ of execution, but under the section referred to his Lordship had discretion to release him. He had committed no offence whatever, and under the circumstances should be discharged.

His Lordship .-- I cannot exercise that section except for special reason.

Mr. Thomson - I have no special reason.

Mr. Bowley said he appeared for the creditor on whose action the man was arrested and was also instructed by several others to oppose the spp ication. His Lordship would remember the circums ances under which defendant was percented. He kept out of the way until the Chinese New Year, and during the holid ys stated that he was going back to China in a day or two, but was prevented by the writ of execution. If release was granted the debter would go back to Canton, and he had not yet filed his statement of affairs.

Mr. Thom: ou: -That is because he is in gool. "His Lordship: You can have access to him. Mr. Thomson: -But the room up there is not very suitable.

tions for release made directly after the bank- \$70,000 or \$80,000 worth of yarn, and about the ruptcy, as the granting of them defeats the same amount in 1904. In February 1905 object of the imprisonment.

to put on a certain amount of pressure?

Mr. Bowley-Yos. His Lordship-Then I cannot take the pressure off merely because the man goes into bankruptoy. I don't think I can do it.

A POINT FOR CONSIDERATION. Re the Yee Yuen firm, ex parte the debtors. This was a public examination conducted by

Mr. G. H. Wakeman, Official Receiver. partner of the bankrupt firm of cotton yarn and | were left on his hands. opium dealers. There were eight other partners, four of whom were dead, while the other four certain questions,

were not in the Colony. here, my Lord, as on a previous occasion-a debter's petition signed by one partner.

His Lordship-What was the act of bankruptoy?

Mr. Morrell, who appeared for debtor--- Inability to pay his debts. In this case my partner is the only honest man of the lot. He stays to bear the brunt.

over again that there is no such thing as the bankruptcy of a firm,

Mr. Morrell--It has been argued severa times here, and held that one partner can sign potition.

Mr. Wakeman-Yos.

set out on the petition. Mr. Morrell-He has disclosed their names

jurisdiction. Mr. Wakeman-A creditor can make them

Mr. Lordship-It has been held over and over again that there is no such thin g as the bankraptcy of a firm. It is the bankruptcy of the individual partners, although for convenience of procedure the bankrup tey is under the name of the firm. I am afraid we shall have to suspend this for further consideration.

Mr. J. Hastings, who appeared for two of the largest oreditors, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co, and the Hongkong Cotton Co., said be was instructed that there was another partner the debtor was not mentioning, and he wished to cross-examine him about it. The other partner was a man of means in Hongkong. His Lordship-We must dispose of this preliminary point first. Supposing you made

the partners out of the jurisdiction bankrup how would you act? Mr. Morrell-Take the firm's property. His Lordship...The bankruptcy of a fire dissolves the partnership, there fore each partner

partnership. Mr. Morrell—To release a man's share you've

becomes an individual with a share out of the

Mr. Hastings-If a firm is made bankrupt. the general assets of that firm go into the bankruptcy, and the general partners with their individual assets also go in.

hankruptcy of a firm. Mr. Hastings-That means that if a firm is

made bankrupt, all the partners in the firm are

His Lordship.—The bankruptcy of a firm means the bankruptcy of the individual partners. You mean if a fir m is bankrupt the partners are bankrupt teo.

Mr. Hastings-If a firm is bankrupt the individuals composing that firm are bankrupt. His Lordship adjourned the hearing for a fortnight in order that authorities might be

YARN MERCHANT'S FAILURE. Re Fung Wa-Shan ex parte the debter. Another public examination conducted by Mr. Wakeman, Mr. P. W. Goldring (of Messrs. Goldring and Barlow) appeared for the debter, and Mr. H. W. Looker (of Messrs, Deacon Looker and Deacon) for David Sasscon and Ch.

and other creditors. Fung Wa-shan said he was the sole proprietor of the Sun Hing firm of yarn merchants. He bought the business from his partners. Whom he started alone he had a capital of \$11,000, and in the first three years made a profit of \$27,000. In the following year, however, he lost everything but \$5,700. - He accounted for his loss a by the large fall in the price of cotton of which he bought several million dollars' worth every year. Formerly he took delivery of all his purchases. During the year before last he jurchased 80,000 or 90,000 balos, and last year 70,000 or 80,000 a large amount of which he had not taken delivery of. All his liabilities were in respect of

differences on cotton. His Lordship -- What are his liabilities? Mr. Looker-Several lakhs of dollars. Debtor, continuing, said he owned one

house in Pottinger Street, By Mr. Looker-When debtor started his present firm he had no branches. He did not tell David Sassoon and Co. or other creditors that he had a branch up the West River. When in partnership with his brother both of them attended to the business. They dissolved because debtor's brother saw there was not much profit made, and would not continue. His brother now had a yern business in Canton. He could not say whother it was started before or after the dissolution. He shipped yarn to his brother is Canton, but the transactions were not very large. He used to ship about

His Lordship-I always refuse these applica. | Year he started business, he bought about | witness first made up his accounts, and found Mr. Thomson-This, is not intended as a that with profits and capital he had \$38,000. punishment, but as a means of collecting the In 1905 he contracted to buy seven or eight million dollars worth of yarn, about 70,000 or His Lordship-I suppose it is intended 80,000 bales. He did not know from time to time how he stood financially. Sometimes he bought yarn because austomers asked him and sometimes he bought without being asked to

buy. Sometimes he saw whather he had enough money to pay for the purchases, and sometimes he did not. When he entered into contracts in 1905 for several million dollars worth of yarp he knew that if customers did not pay him he could not pay. Many of these purchasers failed Pun Shing-ohi said he was the managing to take up their contracts and over 10,000 bales

Debter here could not, or would not answer

Mr. Looker-It is obvious, my Lord, that if Mr. Wakeman-The same question arises these bankrupts come here and say "how do I know" etc to certain questions, the public examination will be futile.

> His Lordship-Quite so, but what power have I?-Why shouldn't the man have his books before him to answer questions?

> No objection was raised to this. Debtor, continuing, said he compared his accounts every day with the compradores of

His Lordship -- It has been decided over and big European firms for goods delivered. His Lordship, here warmed the debtor that if he did not answer questions more accurately he would probably go to prison.

Debter replied that he was speaking the whole truth. Proceeding he said he had books in which he entered his contracts for yarn. Al-His Lordship.-All the other partners are though he still had yarn to take up at the end of 1905 he entered into contracts running into millions of dollars and deposited large sums of money with foreign His Lordship -The partners' names should be firms to induce them to sell for him. H did not think if exchange rose and the price of yarn went down that his customers would have fulfilled their promises. At the beginning of 1906 he wanted to purchase goods from His Lordship-I don't think you can make a David Sassoon & Co, but they would not sell

firm bankrupt when the partners are out of the as he had so many contracts outstanding. The examination was adjourned until next Thursday,

FUNNELS AND FLAGS.

THE "ROBERT COOK." The Derwent, from Saig n, reported on arrival yesterday having passed the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.'s tug Robert Cooke on the 11th "looking comfortable. IMPOSSIBLE.

There appears to be a prospect of an even more accelerated Trans-Pacific mail service Europe than the present one. The opposition service being planned between Blacksod Bay, on the west coast of Ireland, and Halifax. figures upon a 35 days service, and to land mails in Yokohama in 17 days from England, and in Hongkong in 22 days, which is wix days less than the time occupied by the Overseas Mail system.

CHINESE OR CHINA. A Shanghai message to the Asahi states that on Feb. 28th 193 shareholders of the Chinese Merchante' Steamship Company, representing more than one-half of the total shares of the company, held a meeting and agreed to severall relations of the company with the Government. It was decided to reorganise the concern into a purely business company, and Shing Sen-Kuci and four others were appointed representatives of the company. According to Llayd's Register, the China Merchants' Steamship Company controls a fleet of 28 vessels of various sizes, rauging from 2,200 tons downwards.

RESCUED BY P. & O. steamer Manila was coming through the belance. This result we hope will prove satis-Inland See, bound for Kobe, cries for assistance | factory to you, as the balance brought forward were heard. On investigation it was found that from the working account shows two per cent His Lordship -There is no such thing as the | a Japanese schooner had capsized, and four men | better results than the previous year. There were clinging to the keel. They were quickly | are two items in the report which call for rescued and taken on board the Manila being explanation. The first is the loss on debentures. landed at Kobs on the vessel's arrival. The survivors stated that seven other members of the crew had been drowned.

> FUTURE CARG ES. Delicate fruits from the tropics have reached Europe sound and fresh. A few weeks ago an experimental shipment, comprising mangesteene, rambutans, and pineapples, was sent to Holland by a firm at Batavia, and news has been received that the fruit reached its destination none the tries and shrubs, and building a shed for the worse for its long stay in the cold storage room of the steamer R mbrandt. The possibility of exporting such fruits to Europe and placing them upon the home markets may result in a brisk trade.

> THE JAPAN-CHINA STRAMSHIP COMPANY. The negotiations, which have been in that the building would be handed to us by progress for the incorporation of the Yangtze | about October last have not been realized, and services of the Osaka Shosen Knisha, Nippon although the Board used every effort to hurry Yusen Kaisha and Hunan Steamship Com- on the work, success did not attend their efforts pany, are said to have made much progress. the contractor taking his own time over the The incorporation was proposed at the suggest matter. He will, however, have to indemnify tion of the Government, which, as already us for the delay, but this of course is a matter reported in our columns, affered a subsidy to which cannot be settled before the completion of the combine. A special general meeting on the work. At the same time, I may state that February 28th of the Hunan Steamship Com- we have approached the guaranter of the conpany unanimously adopted resolutions to the tractor about the delay, and I would here quote effect that the company should deliver to the part of a letter acceived by the architects combine now being organised all the vessels, on October 9th from his solicitors:-"Our property on land and water, premises, and client wishes us to assure you, that since stock in trade of the company as the share of he has guaranteed the contractor, he will the Huran Company of the capital of the new | do all in his power to get the contractor to company. This transfer is to be effected under complete the works at an early date, and that conditions thought fit, and the conclusion of an | you may look to our client for any delay &c agreement with the new company and other incidental matters should be left entirely to the | building is now nearly ready, there being on

Board of Directors. recently in a Seattle paper :-- "If the offi ers | are already taken possession of ... We have been of the Japanese tramp steamship Dainia Kotohera attempt to mix oil with their Annexe, which building was completely desfuel coal during the voyage across the Pac fic, they will have serious trouble with the marine calculations for the time being. However, insurance underwriters, in case of an accident. The vessel cleared from Tacoma on Monday for Nanaimo, where the captain says he will load insured, still, we suffered a small loss in 300 tons of coal. He now has about 700 tons losing part of our business for the time n the bunkers. In Seattle and Tacoma both being. The shops of the Palace and part of the the Japanese captain obtained about 400 Hotel having been already occupied the Board barrels of skid grease and confided in have decided that according to the terms on friends that he woulds mix it with the which the new capital was issued, the first half coal, which was of an inferior grade and will bear dividend from the beginning of this would not drive his vessel along at the required speed. The insurance men learned of his intention and ordered the greass off the vessel. Finally an agreement was entered and the December 1906, was declared and paid. Pro Japanese sailor said be would manifest the grease, which he did. A representative of the insurance men accompanied the vessel Japan. The mixing of oil with coal is a practice engaged in by captains when they desire to it has proved a dangerous undertaking and is lifetime. A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., Sole Agents. | to have the faculty, if I may so term it, of 1,000 odd bales a year. In 1903, the first usually carried on with much secreey."

CANTON.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PEACE RESTORED AT TUNGKOON.

March 13th. On the 11th instant the Brigadier General of Kwong Chow was despatched with a regiment of soldiers to Tonkun [Tung Koon] by the Vicercy to suppress the riot. It is now reported that peace has been restored and the shops have resumed business. Over ten rioters were arrested. The local gentry have started subscriptions in aid of the needy and hungry. VICEROY'S SWEET REASONABLENESS.

It is reported that the following Hongkong Chinese presser, viz; Sheung Po, Kung Yik Po and others whose newspapers were prohibited to onter Canton by Vicercy Shum have sent a joint potition stating that they are willing to sbide by the three laws that were promulgated last year and begged His Excellency Vicercy Chou Fu to remove the prohibition and permit their newspapers to re-enter Cauton. Vicercy Chou Fu has intimated that he willorder the prohibition to be removed as he believes that the people's mind has already been onlightened through the Press and that their wisdom will improve considerably if more newspapers were in circulation.

BLOOD HIBSTY OFFICIAL. It is said that the Wai Chow Prefect has the habit of decapitating crimicals indiscriminately without first carefully considering the lightness or gravity of the effence committed. Many petitions have been sent to the Vicersy and the Provincial Judge compl ining that the prefect had erroneously executed prisoners. His Excellency intends to remove him and place Lau Man, prefect of Siu Chow, in his position.

ANOTHER RAILWAY INVESTIGATOR. A Peking telegram states that the Central Government intends to delegate H. E. Yeong Shi Ki, Secretary to the Board of Agriculture and Commerce at Peking, as envoy extraordinary to Canton to investigate the Canton-Hankow

Roilway affairs. VICEROY SON COMES. Taotai Chou Ho Ming, second son of the Viceroy, has left Shanghai and is now on his way to Canton to visit his father. Excellency has despatched the gunboat Shum Hong to Hougkong to receive his son.

FLOODING HONGKONG WITH SUBSIDIARY COINS. Steps have been taken by the British authorities here to restrict the export of subsidiery coins to Hongkong. It is reported that the H. B. M. Consul General here has sent a despatch to Vicercy Chou Fu stating that the Chinese Government mint has been placing too much subsidiary coins in the market which is doing great injury to trade and commerce The director of the mint received instructions from the Viceroy to investigate and report It is said that His Excellency has given instructions to the director to stop coming subsidiary coins for three months so as to see the results on the market. The Viceroy will reply to the Consul General in the next few days.

REMUNERATIVE MORALITY, The Vicercy being desirous of raising the standard of efficials, has strictly prohibited gambling and opium-smoking. Any official impeached will be imprisoned and his house and property confiscated. This will prove a hardsome source of revenue to the Government if the threat is carried out in

CENTRAL STORES, LIMITED SHANGHAI.

The twelfth ordinary general meeting of shareholders in the Central Stores, Ld. was held at Shanghai on March 8th. Mr. G. Shekury (chairman).

After making full provision for deprecia-

tion, bad and doubtful debts &c, there is an avail-

able balance for distribution of \$19,978.50 out of

which sum the director recommend the payment

of adividend of \$1.80 per share on old shares, About 2.30 a.m. on March 2nd, as the P. & O. | absorbing \$10,800 and to carry forward the These the Company purchased as an investment at three per cent premium some years back, at a time when interest was low; and being in need of money sold last year at a discount when the condition of the money market was quite the reverse. 'I he next item is the amount of \$6 178.50. This has been spent for developing the Yangtszepon property; in filling in part of the land ; planting over 3,000 gardeners. A good part of the land is under cultivation with vegetables, and we trust soon to be able to supply the hotel with all the vegetables required, and weshall shortly proceed to make arrangements for the dairy farm. Palace Hotel-The promises made last year caused by the contractor." the internal work on the lower flat to be finished The upper stories are now fondy and will very The following mysteriou - paragraph appeared | soon be fully occupied, in fact, eighteen rooms l very unfortunate in having had a fire at the troyed, and consequently upset our business and I we have now got over the difficulty and although the furniture and stock were

year, pari passu with the old shares.

A dividend of 18) per share on the o

shares, making 12 per centifor the year endin

posals for increasing the capital were adjourned

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THE JAPAN BREWERY COMPANY

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An'extraordinary general meeting of Japan Brewery Comp ny, Ltd., was held at Yokohama, on February 28th reports the Japan Herald, for the purpose of confirming the subjoined special résolutions which were passed at an extrordinary general meeting held on February 13th:-1 - That the Company be wound up voluntariv under the provisions of the Memorandum of

HAVELY DISCUSSION.

Association and of the Companies Ordinances 1865 to 1890 of the Colony of Hongkong. 2-That Frank Scott James beappointed the Liquidator of the Company for the purposes of such wincing up, and that in the event of the said Frank Scott James leaving Japan before the winding up of the Company be completed, he, the said Frank Scott James, shall be empowered to nominate Charles Burton Bernard

as Liquidator of the Company in his place, 3. That the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorised to adopt and carry out the Agreement entered into between Frank Scott James, as Managing Director of the Company and Rempei Kondo and F. Wuriu and G. Yone on behalf of the Kirin Bakusuhu Kabushiki Kaisha for the sale of the plant and property of The Japan Brewery Company, Limited, and to carry the same into effect.

4.—The Liquidator shall be empowered to grant such gratuity to the employes of the Company upon the termination of their engagement by the Company as he may consider expedient. 5.—The remuneration of the Liquidator

shall be two and one-half per cent of the net cash available for return to the Shareholders of the Company. 6.—In the event of Charles Burton Bernard aforesaid being nominated Liquidator in the place of I rank Scott James be shall have the same powers as Liquidator as if originally appointed under these Resolutions. He shall

receive as remuneration such part of the

Liquidator's remnueration as may be arranged between him and said Frank Scott James.

that may be asked. by the Chairman

to be made I wish to say, as I said at the familiar and lave had lots of time to consider onening, this meeting is merely formal until the last moment, and then the knowledge and I am surprised that any objection is spring upon them suddenly at these meetings, should now be raised to the special resolutions, or it is elicited by asking questions, and they, If shareholders were not satisfied or wished at the moment, cannot always grasp what the any alteration to be made in any of them, why consequences may mean to them. They, like did they not raise objections at the extraor- the Directors, require a little time to think dinary general meeting held on the 13th things over and possibly to make inquiries as instant? That was the time they should have to the correctness of what has been advanced. done so. They had no excuse, for printed The Chairman :- I must ask you to confine copies were in their hands for a full your remarks to the special resolutions. I can week before the meeting, and they came know- hear nothing else. It is not in order to tell ing exactly on what they had to vote. Not one the Directors what they ought to do, or what single objection was raised, and the resolutions they ought not to do. were passed. Now a small section of the Mr. Snow :- You asked a short time ago why shareholders appear to be dissatisfied and wish to change these special resolutions, which I am giving the reply to your questions. means that if they are successful the windingup of the Company must be postponed, as other meetings would have to be held. If, at this stage, any interference is made to stop the liquidation, the consequences may be disastrous to to them. shareholders, as arrangements have all been concluded, and to-morrow our Secretary and the whole office staff page entirely to the new Company. I place these facts before you so that you may understand what grave responsibility rests with the sharekelders, and how essential it is that the special resolutions should be confirmed. which I would rath r do before I propose the

amendments I will reserve them until then. The Chairman :- I think if you will read your amendmentpropositions are dealt with.

should come first. Mr. Snow:-There is no proposition before the meeting, so that the amendments cannot also known to the shareholders, they could The Charmon :- I will put the resolutions. It is proposed from the chair-Mr. B. C. Howard:-I have pleasure in

Mr. Snow :- Before that comes to the vote to provose. In asking the questions I am about to do, and in my remarks on the subject before us you may be sure I am not influenced by any

feelings whatever against the personalities . The remuneration of the liquidator shall of the individuals. My strictures will be the additional fuel required to steam his boat to | plexion, Mrs. Ellen's Crême Charmant, Lait directed solely against a corporation called Charmant and Special Skin Tonic and Poudre | the Board of Directors, which, according to Charmant and Special Skin Tonic and Tourist the Common belief, having neither a soul to be smount to approximately, or a question Specialities for the Skin are the study of a saved nor a body to be wrecked, ought also not to that effect, he could not, or would not resentment; and I therefore trust that after the

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Hongkong, 28th November, 1906. Mr. F. S. James (chairman and Manaping storm is over there will be no hard feelings left Director), presided, and in calling the meeting on either side. At the outset I may say we to order, said it was merely a formal meeting to have no wish to embarrase the Directors in any confirm the special resolutions which were passed way, provided they give us a fair and square at an extracedinary general meeting held on the | deal. That they are not doing so at present we 13th ultime. It was not usual to make any feel sure, and this opinion is strongthened by statement at meetings of that sort, and there- the many expressions we have heard to the same fore he would simply read the special resolutions, effect by many independent residents of the but before he put them to the mee ing he would very best standing in this community. It has be glad to hear any remarks or any questions been asked by the Directors, I believe, why sharsholders do not take more active interest in The resolutions printed above were then read the meetings of the Company, and why do they not get up and raise objections if they have any Mr. Snow .-- As I have some amendments to and give their views, when they do a tend a the resolutions, I take it I'll say what I have meeting? The answer is an easy one. Shareto say after you have put them to the meeting. holders are as a rule, kept in ignorance of many The Chairman :- As there is an amendment things with which the Directors are perfectly

the objections were not made at the meeting. The Chairman :- I am not here to listen to anything outside the special resolutions. Mr. Snow:-You will find my remarks bear on them. Mr. Chairman, if you will kindly listen

The Chairman -- If you will go on to your amendment. I cannot listen to any controversy as to what the Directors should or should not

Mr. Snow (resuming his remarks):-This has been the case with the present misunderstanding. It has been said that the shareholders had Mr. Stow :- I have to reply to these remarks, the resolutions to be brought forward in their hands a weekhefore the meeting, and they ought amendments. As these remarks explain the to have made up their minds about them then. Although these resolutions were in the hands of shareholders some time before the meeting, how was it possible for them to formulate objections Mr. Snow: The amendments come after the to such vaguestatem ats as they contain? They looked innocent enough until in the light of what The Cusirman:-1 think the amendments has since transpired they come to be examined. Until certain facts, which were known to the Directors who drew those resolutions up, were but. It has not been proposed or seconded. form no idea as to the fairness or otherwise of these resolutions, and some of these facts are not even known to them, the Chairman being unable or unwilling to answer the questions put. Does not this tend to create an idea that the Directors themselves considered I have some remarks to make and amendments the remuneration excessive, and so wished to conceal the same involved, because, if known, it might be objected to as being altogether too much? Take resolution No. 5:be two and a half per cent, on the net cash available for return to the shareholders." When the Chairman was asked what this would

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Communications respecting Advertisements, Bubscriptions, Printing, Hinding, &c., should be addressed Dathy Phess only, and special business matters THE MANAGER.

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be sent in before 11 a.m. on day of publication. After that hour the supply is limited. Only supplied for Cash. Advertisements and Bubscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS C. DE M. C. VIEIRA-RIBEIRO. Auctioneer.

TAVOURED with instructions, will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. TO-MORROW (SATURDAY),

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-FOURTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at its Head Office. No. 2. Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 13th April 1907, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1906, and of declaring Dividends, etc. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 3rd April to the 13th April, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board.

W. J. SAUNDERS, Secretary. Hongkong, 15th March, 1907.

KOWLOON BOWLING GREEN CLUB. THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Members of the above Club will be held at the GREEN, on MONDAY, 18th inst., at 5.30 P.M.

D. GOW. Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 14th March, 1907.

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THE HONGKONG VOLUNTEER

Hongkong, 13th March, 1907.

Agente.

RESERVE ASSOCIATION. FINHE SECOND ANNUAL GENERAL

MEEFING of the Members will be held at the CITY HALL, on TUESDAY, the 19th March, 1907, at 5.30 r.m. Sir HENRY BERKELEY, K.C., Chairman of the Association, will preside. G. II. WAKEMAN,

Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, 12th March, 1907.

HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE ELEVENTH HALF YEARLY DRAWING of SIXTY-FIVE DE. BENTURES of the HONGKONG CLUB. Payable on SATURDAY, the 31th March. 1907, will be held at the Hongkong Club House, at Il o'clock A.M., on WEDNESDAY, the 2 nh March, 1907. Bearers of Debontures are invited to attend the Drawing. By Order,

C. H. GRACE, Secretary. Hongkong, 13th March, 1907. SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

TEVHE COUNCIL REQUIRES the services | ALFRED BROOK SMITH, Esq., of Hongkong | of an ARTIFICER ENGINEER for DUPLICATE CERTIFICATE of 145 Engine Room and Boiler Room Duties in the Shares in the above Company upon the Works. The Salary offered is Tls. 170, Tls. 175 and Tls. 180 per mensem during the Three Years of an Agreement.

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W. E. LEVESON,

Secretary.

Council Room. Shanghai, 1st March, 1987.

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PUBLIC AUCTION,

THE Undersigned have received instructions L to Sell by Public Auction. FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED. TO DAY (FRIDAY). the 15th March, 1907, at 230 P.M., at the SALES ROOMS, No. 8, Des Voeux Rond

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TERMS:—As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioncora. Hongkong, 12th March, 1907.

EOTHEN MARK LODGE, No. 264

REGULAR MEETING of the EOTHEN MARK LODGE will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL on MONDAY, the 18th March, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 14th March, 1907.

PUBLIC COMPANIES

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

TATORICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Co.'s Registered Office, St. George's Bullo-INGS, Victorie, Hongkong TO-MORROW the 16rm DAY OF MARCH, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the Formnoon when the Subjoined Resolutions will be proposed: RESOLUTIONS:

1. That the Capital of the Company be increased to \$4,090,090 by the Creation of 200,000 New Shares of \$10 each. 2. That the Articles of Association be altered by striking out the figures "\$1,500" in Clause 5 of Article XII, and by substituting therefor the figures "\$4,000" and by striking out the word "lands" in the second line of Clause 1 of Article XVI. and by inserting after the said Clause 1

new Clauses as follows :-(ta) The Company in General Meeting may in the year 1907 pass a Resolution to the effect that it is desirable to capitalise the sum of \$900,000 being part of the undivided profits of the Company standing to the credit of the Company's Reserve Fund and accordingly that that sum be distributed as a bonus amongst the Shareholders in proportion to the shares held by them respectively, and that the General Managers be authorised to distribute among the Shareholders the 2 0,000 unissued Shares in like propor-

(1b) When such Resolution has been passed the General Managers may allot and issue the 2 0,000 unissued Shares credited as \$4.50 paid up to the Shareholders in satisfaction of the said bonus in proportion to the shares held by them respectively, and prior to such allotment the General Managers may authorise any person on behalf of the Shareholiers to enter into any agreement with the Company providing for the allotment to them of such shares credited as \$4.50 paid up and in satisfaction as aforesaid and any agreement made under such authority shall be eff ctive.

Should the Resolutions be passed by the required majority they will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

Dated 6th day of Murch, 1907. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

GEO. FENWICK & CO., LD. THILE EIGHTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held in the Hongkong Hotel TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 16th day of March. 1907, at 12 Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, declaring a Dividend, and electing Director and Auditor. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th until 16th

March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, JOHN I. ANDREW.

General Manager. Hongkong, 8th March, 1907. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING CO., LD.

THE TWENTY-THIRD ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders. in the Company will be held in the Office of the General Managers, St. George's Building, Victoria, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, 1937, at | THE CHINASUGAB REFINING CO., LD. 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1906, declaring a Dividend and electing Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be (LOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 20th March until SATURDAY, the 23rd March, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 8th March, 1907. HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING. WEAVING 'ND DYEING CO.,

LIMITED. A PPLICATION has been made to the GENERAL MANAGERS' to issue to THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING CO. statement that the Original Certificate viz :-

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to 112075, 4411 to 4420, 1037 to 1061 and 4076 to 4:90 HAS B EN LOST OR STOLEN. within 30 days from date hereof no claim or representation in respect of such Original December, 19 6. Certificate is mide to the GRNERAL MANAGERS they will then proceed to deal with such application for a duplicate.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 12th March, 1907.

PURTIC COMBANIFO

AND AGENCY CO., LTD.

an EXTRAORDINARY GEN-ERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED will be held the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 25th day of Murch, 1907 at 11 o'clock in the FORENOON, when the Subjoined Resolutions will be pro-

1. That the following alterations be made in the Articles of Association viz: (a) That line one and line two of Article No. 53 be climinated except the last five words at the end of line two and that the words " The Managing Director in the East of Messra, Jardina, Matheson & Co., Ld., or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Mesers, Jardin , Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong" be inserted instead and that he words "Senior Representative" in In a 6 and 9 of Article No. 53 ba eliminated and the words "Managing Director in the East of Mesers, Jardine. Matheson & Co., Ld., or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messre. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong" be inserted instead.

(b) That the words "person for the timebeing in charge of the business of," be inserted between the word "Manager" and the words "or Agent" in the 3rd line of Articla No. 59.

(c) That the foll wing new Article to be numbered No. 68A be inserted between Articles (8 and 69 :--

"68a. The Managing Director in the East "of Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., "Ld. or in his absence the person for "the time being in charge of the busi-" ness of Mesers, Jardine, Matheson & "Ce., Ld., in Hongkoug shall be and he "is hereby appointed a Managing "D rector of the Company and stall "hold Office until the Company in pur-"surnos of Clause I of the Memorandum "of As ociation and of these Articles "appoints some other person to act as " Managing Director in his stead."

(d) That line I and line 2 of Article No. 69 be eliminated except the last 6 words at the end of line 2 and the words "The Managing Director in the East of Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., or, in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkoug" be inserted instead, and that the words "Senior Representative" in line 6 of Article No. 69 be climinated and the worls "Managing Director in the East of Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld, or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Mossre Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong " be inserted instead.

(e) That the word "the" in the 2nd line of Article 75 be eliminated and the word "a" inserted and that the letter "s" at the end of the word 'Directors" in the second line of Article No. 75 be eliminated and that the words "or a Managing Director" be inserted between the word "Directors" and the word "shall" in the second line of Article No. 75.

(f) That at the end of Article No. 77 the following words be added: 'Provided that the Managing Director in the East or the person for the time being in charge of the business in Hengkong of Mesers. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ld., shall not be disqualified from the office of Managing Director or Director because he does not personally hold the necessary shares provided Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., shall hold the necessary shares.

(g) That the words ' or the Corporation be represents" be inserted between the word "he" and the word "cease" in ss. 5 of Article No 81 and between the word "he" and the word "become" in line I of s.s. 6 of Article No. 81.

(h) That the words "and (so long as the Managing Director in the East of Messrs. Jardine. Matheson & Co., Ld, or the person for the time being in charge of the business of Meeses. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong shall be a Managing Director of the Company) other than a Managing Director" be inserted between the words "Per-"manent Director" and the word before" in the 3rd line of Article

2. That the above Resolution making the above changes in the Company's Articles shall come into force and take effect from and including the 1st day of May,

Should the above Resolutions be passed by the required majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

Dated the 12th day of March, 1907

By Order, A. SHELTON HOOPER,

NOTICE. FITHE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Age ts on WED-NESDAY, the 27th March, at 11.30 a.m., for

the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of the Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1906. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to 27th March. both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents. Hongkong, 8th March, 1907.

----NOTICE.

No. 562 dated 19th August 1905 for 145 THE TWENTY FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the Sharehelders of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents on WED-NESDAY, the 27th March at 1215 P.M for NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that if | the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 14th to 27th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents.

Hongkong, 8th March, 1907.

PUBLIC COMPANIES

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT | THE HONGKONG LAND RECLAMA TION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG LAND RECLAMATION COMPANY, LIMITED will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria Buildings, in the Colony of Hongkong on MONDAY the 2 th day of March, 1907 at 11.15 o'clock in the Forenoon, when the Subjoined Resolutions will be proposed :-

1. That the following alterations be made in the Articles of Association, viz :--(a) That lines one and two of Article No. 55 be eliminated except the words "shall be the" at the end of line two and that the words "The Managing Director in the East of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong" bo inserted instead and that the words "Senior Representative" in lines 6 and 9 of Article No. 55 be eliminated and the words "Managing Director in the East or (as the case may be) the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs. Jardine. Matheson & Co., Ld in Hongkong" be inserted instead.

(b) That the words "person for the time being in charge of the business of " be inserted between the word "Manager" and the words "or Agent" in line 4 of Article No. 60.

(c) That the following new Article to be numbered No. 69A be inserted between Articles 69 and 70 :-

"69A. The Managing Director in the East "of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., "Ld., or in his absence the person "for the time being in charge of the "business of Mesers, Jarding, Matheson "& Co., Ld., in Hongkong shall be "and he is Lersly appointed a Managing "Director of the Company and shall "hold office until the Company in "pursuance of Clause 1 of the Memo-"randum of Association and of these "Articles appoint some other person to "act as Managing Director in his stead."

(d) That the first line and the second line of Article No. 70 be eliminated except the words "shall be the" at the end of the second line and that the words "The Managing Director in the East of Messre. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. in Hongkong" be inserted instead and that the words "Senior Representative" in line 6 be eliminated and the words "Managing Director in the East or (as the case may be) the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong" be inserted instead.

(a) That the word "not" be inserted between the word "being" and the word "including" in the second line of Article No. 76 and that the words "but not including" between the word " Directors" and the word "the" in the second line be eliminated and the word "or" inserted instead.

(f) That at the end of Article No. 78 the following words be added: "Provided that the Managing Director in the East or the person for the time being in charge of the business in Hongkong of Messra. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., shall not be disqualified from the Office of Managing Director or Director because he does not personally hold the necessary shares provided Messra, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld, shall hold the necessary shares."

(g) That the word "not" be inserted between the word "Director" and the word "including" in the first line of Article No. 80 and the words "but not including" at the end of the first line of Article No. 80 be eliminated and the word "or" inserted instead.

(h) That the word 'not" be inserted between the word "Director" and the word "including" in the first line of Article No. 83 and the words "save as provided in s.s. 6" be inserted between the word "including" and the word "a" in the first line of Article No. 83 and the words "but not including" at the end of the first line of Article No. 83 be eliminated and the word "or" inserted instead and that the words "or the Corporation he represents" be inserted between the word "he" and the word "become" in the first line of e.e. 6 of

Article No. 83. (i) 'That the words "including a Managing" in the third line and the words "Director but" in the 4th line of Article No. 81 be eliminated and that the words "or (8) long as the Managing Director in the East of Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., or the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkoug shall be Managing Director of the Company) a Managing Director" be inserted between the word "Director" and the word before" in the 4th line of Article

No. 84 2. That the above Resolution making the above changes in the Company's Articles shall come into force and take effect from and including the 1st day of May 1907. Should the above Resolutions be passed by the required majority, they will be submitted

for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a second Extraordinary Meeting which will be anbequently convened. Dated 12th day of March, 1997.

By Order. MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE, Secretary.

NOTICE.

TAKE HERBERT RICHARD BUDD IVI HANCOCK is This Day authorised to SIGN the name of our Firm. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co. Hongkong, 15th February, 1907. WANTED.

ADY TYPIST, able to write Shorthaud. Reply stating speed , previous experience, salary required. "B.," P.O. Box 38B. Address-Hongkong, 27th February, 1907.

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THE JAPAN BREWERY COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Continued from page 3.) say. Agair, knowing now as much as we do, resolution 4, "The liquidator shall be empowered to grant such gratuity to the employes of the Company upon the termination of their engagement by the Company as he may consider expedient," is a very objectionable one. Why should the liquidator have it in his power to coorce, so to speak, the employes of the Company? Several of the employes of the Company, I believe, are shareholders. As shareholders they might strongly object to these resolutions, but as employes at the mercy of that compound individual the Managing-Director-Chairman-Liquidator, they could not express their opposition without running the risk of possibly being discriminated against. Presumably the Managing Director is receiving his emoluments the same as usual and the work he is doing should certainly be, at all events, parily cove ed by that. As for the liquidation itself, that ought to present no difficulty as I understand everything is being conducted as usual, so it may be said the liquidation should come about in tho natural order of things. There should be no complicated accounts to unravel or difficulties in the distribution of the proceeds. It must be remembered that this liquidation and winding-up of 70. 28, LEIGHTON HILL ROAD. the old Company is a voluntary one, and of a very simple nature. It has not been ordered by a court of law, so that the argument put forth, understand, by the Directors-that if it had been ordered by a court of law it would cost the Company a great deal more than it is now doing -does not apply in the least. As for the contracts for the buildings and the receipt and putting in place of the machinery to arrive, there are doubtless competent men to carry these out is recognised that there are a number of things to be done that may be considered outside the province of the Managing Director, and for which he should be liberally rewards. But taking into consideration the benefits which come to him as the Managing Director, as an employé, as a shareholder and Director, with the great pull which pertains to that position, why should such an exorbitant sum be allowed him as has been intimated? Let a fair and just sum befixed, and I am sure no shareholder will object. In view of the fact that it is of. proposed in these resolutions to pay 23 per cent. on the net cash available for return to the shareholders, it is necessary for me to refer to the accounts for 1906. It appears that considerable sum to be paid for buildings and machinery--

The Chairman: -I really cannot follow you there. I don't think you have any right to bring in the accounts for 1906. Mr. Snow :- The balance under that account

pertains to the amount of which the 23 per cent, is paid. The Chairman :- It has nothing to do with | Chairman participate in that bonus? And it, and really I cannot listen to anything pertaining to the 19 6 accounts, which have nothing | employees? If so he receives not only his to do with the resolution.

were not true accounts. The Chairman:-I beg your pardon. You can say nothing about them. These accounts

were passed at a general meeting. accordance with the Articles of Association. with this meeting:

those who are opposed to them to call a general it, outside the Brard it had to be done by a meeting, when it might have been got over Director. This proposed bonus was known peaceably by this. The Chairman:-I cannot really listen to were prepared to carry it through. I am sure

I shall know what to do. follows:---"That the statement of accounts for the |

year 1906 being incomplete, insemuch as they to the way in which this bonus was voted, and do not show certain liabilities of the Company, we are advised that is contrary to the law and and there being a sum of nearly Y250,000, also acontravention of the Company's Articles according to figures furnished by the Directors, of Association, yet to be accounted for before any bonus to employes or payment to the liquidator is fixed | the fact of the Y2),000 voted to the Direct from any cause, Hell's Coca Wine may beupon, an approximate account of how the tors at the General Meeting held on Wednes- wa mly recommended. An occasional wine-Directors propose to deal with this sum be day, February 13th, affecting the amount glass ul, with or after meals, forces an ideal furnished to shareholders.

sum or percentage be named. per cent, or an indefinite sum, a fixed sum or | with the law, nor in accordance with the Com-

the actual work to be done. "That the foregoing be arrived at by arbitration, one arbitrator to be appointed by | reads;-" No Directorshall vote in respect of the Directors, one by the objecting shareholders, any cutract or matteria which he is individu-

and a third, having no interest in the business | aily interested otherwinthan as a member." by the appointees "That these arbitrators also decide upon a fair and reasonable sum to be granted to the

Directors instead of the Y20,000 which was illegally voted to them at the general meeting." Mr. Strome: -I bave great pleasure in seconding that. Mr. L. J Healing (one of the Directors):-I take it that last portion ought to be eliminated.

Mr. Snow:—I object to its being eliminated, and request that it goes on the minutes, as it may be acted upon later on. The Chairman :- It is not in order.

The resolution was then banded to Mr. Litchfield, the Company's solicitor, for his opinion. Mr. Snow :- Am I in order in asking for an explanation of the Articles of Association? The Chairman : - No certainly not. Mr. Snow :- I should like to add to that, and

put the numbers of the articles dealing with the matter. The Chairman: That last cliuse must be eliminated. It cannot be put as an amendment, Mr. Snow:—I object to it being eliminated,

I would request that it be entered on the minutes. at all events. The Chairman: - We cannot take any notice. of that at this meeting. This meeting is for a special purpose. That has been passed at. a general me ting, and we have really nothing to do with if. I'll put the amendment minus

that if you like, but I cannot put that. Mr Snow-Very good; then you will compel | with frequent dizzy attacks; and sometimes I us to call a general meeting to deal with it, Mr. Litchfield:-If these resolutions, for the COULD HARDLY SUPPORT HER purpose of confirming which this extraordinary meeting was called, are not confirmed, the Company is not dissolved nor apparently likely to be dissolved for another six months. If the shareholders have any prievance against the for quile a year when, in my dector's advice, I Directors they can still call a meeting to

call the meeting. should think that it would be better to get over it. I may say we don't expect to carry our The Chairman: -I should be very glad to put these amendments minus the last clause. That

The smendments, with the exception of the last clause, were then put to the meeting, but were defeated by 17 to 6. Those who voted in favour of the amendments were :- Messrs. Snow, Strome, Russell, Rosenthal, Wood, and Weaver. The original proposition of the Chairman was then submitted, and carried, 16 voting in favour and 6 against.

THE KIRINBREWERY CO. A SHAREHOLDER'S PROTEST,

Mr. H. J. Snow, writing to the Yokohama papers, says :- " May I ask you to publish the rest of my speach (enclosed) which I consider I was unwarrantably perented from completing at the recent meeting of the Japan Brewery Co. as it may interest that very large body of Starcholders whom Iknow to be in sympathy with the opposition, but who, for various reas ne, have not taken any part in the movement against the action of the Directors. I may add that I am doing this it the request of a number of people who are interested in this matter." The following is the enclosure above referred

"In view of the firt that it is proposed in these resolutions to ply 21 per cent, on the net cash available for return to the shareholders, it is necessary for me tonefer to the seconds for 1906. It appears thus is a considerable sum to be paid out for buildings and machinery which affects this cash available for return to charcholders, about which nothing was said in the report, nor does it appear in the accounts presented to the members, as it should have done, it being a liability on the old Company. "The accounts who therefore not true

accounts, but were, tomy the least, incomplete, and calculated to mislead the ordinary "I would like to ak why these liabilities were not put into the secounts?. And I would also like to ask why so mention what sade of

them in the report? "The excuse that the exact sum could not be arrived at, owing to verious circumstances, is no excuse at all. There is no reason why a sum sufficient to cover the estimated expense, should not have been put to a Suspense Account; then the shareholders would have had some idea as to how things stood. We have no fault whatever to find with the sale of the Browery, but we do most emphatically protest against the way the Directors have gone about this business of proposing to divert toth maelves large sums of the shareholders' motor, which they have not earned and have no right to. It is most objectionable, and although we may not succeed just now in remedying the evil, we reserve to outselves the right to tike legal action to recover what we consider we have been illegally deprived

"Another question which I desire to ask also, as affecting the mount to be distributed to shareholders, is whether all the new shares, issued in December was taken up, and if not, what sum is likely to seeme to the benefit of the Company through those shares not being taken up?

"Then there is amther and more serious matter which is in a vay connected with the passing of the resolutions, and that is the Y20,000 for the Directors. "Now, as Managing Director, does the

does he also purticipate in the bonus to salary and other emoluments attached to Mr. Snow :- I can prove these accounts the position, but part of this bonus to Directors part of the bonus to employees, and the 21 per cent a Liquidator.

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"I therefore or wee that in view of on which the Liquidate will receive the 21 per "That instead of the amount of bonus to cent, mentioned in "emution No. 5 now before employés being left to the liquidator a fix-d | this meeting, I move that that sum of Y20,000 be struck out and the vote declared null and "That instead of the liquidator receiving 24 | void, it not having been pussed in accordance percentage preferably a fixed-sum, based upon | pany's Articles of Assulation, paragraphs No.

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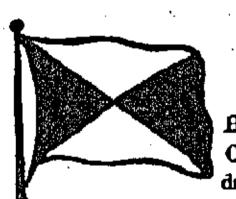
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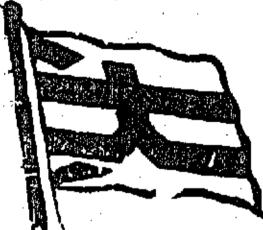
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STRAMER AMARA, British str., 1,556, C. J. Mattock, 26th Feb.-Saigon 20th Feb., Rice.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Auberton, British str., 3,527, John Willeams, 11th March-Cardiff 23rd Jan., Coals-British Government. ARAGONIA, German str. 5,198; T. Ernst, 12th Nond. Norwegian str., 730, T. Haraldson, 11th March-Portland 3rd March, General ...

Hamburg-Amerika Linie. BLUE CROSS, British str., 1,959, Heselton, 12th PHU YEN, French str., 2,100, Bouisson, 15th Admiralty.

P. & O. S. S. Co. CHOWEA, German str., 1,055, F. Spiesen, 8th March-Koksichang 28th February, Wood and Rice-Butterfield & Swire.

CHOWTAI, Germen str., 1,115, W. Mollermann, 14th Feb.—Bangkok 4th Feb., Rice and Wood.-Butterfield & Swire.

DAIYA, Japanese str., 1,735, N. Aikawa. 27th
February—Moji 21st Feb., Coal.—Mitsui
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RAJAH. German str., 1275, A. Denker, 18th
February—Bangkok 1 th Feb., Rico and DAPHNE, German str., 1,254, E. Schipper, 1st. March-Sugon 25th February, Rice.

Hamburg-Amerika Linie. DEVAWONGSE, German steamer, 1,057, Buncee, 25th Feb - Kosicheng 16th Feb., General. -Butterfield & Swire. DUIFAR, Norwegian str., 1,002, Jms Buis, 5th

March Bangkok 23rd Feb., General -Nippon Yusen Kaisha. EMPRESS OF CHINA, British str., 3,046, R. Archibald, R.N R. 11th March-Vancouver,

B.C., 20th Feb., Mails and General-C. P. R. Co. EUTIN, German str., 1,107, Languehwagen, 12th March-Saigon 8th March, General

--Jebsen & a o. FALK, Norwegian str., 1,330. G. M. Gimdersen, 11th March-Rajang (Borneo) 2nd March, Timber and Firewood-Chinese.

FURST BISMARCK, German flagship, 11,000 Wilkens, 7th March-Kiaochow. GLENFARG, British str., 2,35°, H. W. L. Holwel 8th March-Chili and Peru, 28th Nov.-

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HANOI, French str., 754, P. Merlees, 13th Marc's-Haiphong and Haihow 10th and 12th March, General-A. R. Marty HELENE, German str., 771, J. Jessen, 13th March-Swatow 12th March, General-

Jebsen & Co. REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE HILARY, German str., 1,276, H. Uecker, 9th March, -Sourabaya 23rd February, Sugar and General, -Sander, Wieler . Co. Honomon, British str., 2,554, Wm. Dawson, 8th March-Singapore 28th Feb., General

---Chinese. Hue, French str., 704, J. Pannier, 12th March -Haiphong 7th March, General-A. R. JACOB DIEDERICHSEN, German str., 623, Honk,

12th March-Ponape and Swatow 27th Feb. and 11th March-Jebsen & Co. JAPAN, British str., 3,805, J. G. Olifent, 13th March-Calcutta 24th Feb., General-

David, Sassoon & Co. JAPARA, Dutch str., 1,470, P. M. C. Chevalee, 8th Feb.—Hoa Hay 1st March, General.— Java-China-Japan Lijn. KEONG WAI, German str., 2,400, T. Kohlor,

Butterfield & Swire. KOREA, American str., 5,651, S. Sandborg, 5th March-San Francisco 5th Feb., General. WAISHING, British str., 1,179, Bicharl, 12th —P. M. & Co.

Kwongsang, British str., 10th March, from Canton. LABOIS, Norwegian str., 949, J. A. Jensen, 12th March-Natura Island via Singapore 3rd March, Timber and Planks-(Chines)).

Laisang, British str., 3,460 E. G. Tadd, 8th March-Calcutta and Straits, 1st March General-Jardine Matheson & Co. Loongsang, British str., 1,092, A. G. Smith, Eskasoni, British ship, 1,670, W. McBarnie, . 4th March-Manila 1st March, General. Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Lydia, German str., 1771, Meyer, 3rd Feb.-Snigon 3rd Mar., General-Siemssen & Co. Cushing, 2nd March - Singapore 24th February, General.

MASAN MARU, Japanese str., 702, J. Sakurni, 27th Feb.—Tameni 24th Feb., General.— Osaka Shesen Kaisha.

MERCEDES, Brilish transport, 2,900, J.S. to-Gregor, 29th Jan.-Singapore 22nd Jan. Coal -Admiralty. NESIN. British str., 757, A. Erikson, 2nd March

-Bangkok 20th Feb., Rice, -Chinese, March-Ssigon 5th March, Rice-Angaard Tho: esen

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Violtemas, 18th Sept.-Kobe 12th Sept. General.-Melchers & Co. QUARTA, German str., 1,145, H. Midren, 10th March-Saigon 5th March, Rice and General-Chinese.

RAJABURI, Germin str., 1,189, O. Kooh, 8th March-Bangkok, Rice. -Butterfield & Swire.

February-Bangkok 1 th Feb., Rico and Trak .- Butterfield & Swire. RILEIGH, U.S. Cruisor, 3,213. F. F. Fletcher. 8th March - Manila 5th M rch. RATHO, British str., 2,747. J. Thomson, 9th February -Now York and Manila 6th Feb. Case Oil. -- Standard Oil . o.

SCANDIA, German str., 4,865, W. v. Dobran, 13th March-Yokoham : 9th Mar., General — Hamburg-Amerika Linie. SEINU MARU. Japaneso steamer. 1,395, L. H. Matsutako, 2nd March—Kobe 22nd Feb.

General .- Japanese. Sonsogon, American str., 428, Vitteria, 7th Sept. - Manila 4th Sept., Ballast. - Order. Sosho Maru, Japanese etr., 1,119, T. Surnga. 24th Feb.-Shanghai via Foochow, Amoy and Swatow 17th Feb., General.—Osaka

Shosen Kaisha. Suez, Russian str., 1,3 5, Klonsen, 11th March -Saigon 6th March, Rice, SUMA MARU, Japanese str., 2.204. Yamaguchi, 11th March-Saigon 3rd March, Rico-

Gilman & Co. Tar Sang, British str., L544. D. Christie, 11th March-Saigon 7th March, Rice-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

TANGO MARU, Japanese str., 4327 A. E. Moses, 10th March-Shanghai 7th Murch; General-Nippon Yusun Kaisha. TEUCER. British str., 5,805, J. Barwise, 25th February-Tacoma 23rd Feb., General.-Butterfield & Swire.

TITANIA, German str., 1,800, Schaaki, 4th Merch-Zamboanga 26th Feb. rick, 12th Feb.—Moji 7th Feb., Coal.— Java-China-Japan Lijn.

Tsu auguan, Japanese str., 2,552, K. Shimdan, 28 h Feb.—Kuchinotsu 22nd Feb., Coal.— Mitsui Bussen Kaisha. TUCKSUN, German str., 1,620, W. D. ubert, 8th March-Bangkok 27th February, Rice.

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March - Saigon 8th March, Rice-Jardine, Matheson & Co. WARAMATSU MARU, Japanese sir., 1,722, N. Goda, 12th March-Moji 7 h March, Coal. -Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

Z FIR , Beitish str., 1,629, R. Rodger, 11th March - Manila 9th March, General-Shewan, Tomes & Co. SAILING VESSELS,

12th Oct.-Manila 13th Sept., Ballast.-Dodwell & Co. PONAPE. German sch., 22), If. Cartens, 31st

December - Yap 20th December -- German MARGARITA, American str., 721, John A. R. PRINCE GEORGE, barkentine, 472, L. R. Anderson, 18th Oct.-Manila 26th September, Old Iron,-Order

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS BY THE SINERIAN RAILWAY. Letters and Post Cards only if specially superscribed are sent by this route to Europe by steamers leaving Shanghai every Saturday. Mails from London are despatched via Siberia daily and forwarded from Vladivostock by steamer every Sunday. The America Maru, with the American mail, left Shanghai on Monday, the 11th instant, a 8 p.m., and may be expected here to-day. The Zicten, with the German mail of the 12th Feb., left Singapore on Sunday the 10th inst., at 8 a.m., and may be expected here to-day. Quang Chow Wan, Hoihow, Pakhoi and } _15th, 9,00 A. a Hué Haiphong 15th, 1.15 p.s Macao Sui Tai 15th, 3,00 P.1 Mapila..... Loongsang 15th, 4(0) P. 8 16th, 9.00 A.s Saturday. 16th, 10.0) A. B 16th, 10.00 A.M Saturday. Manila..... Zafiro Saturday. 16th. Printed Matter and San ples...... 10.00 A.M Registration... 10.00 A.z SHANGHAL NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOSAMA, (Registration, with la HONOLULU BED SAN FRANCISCO fee of 10 cents, up (Supplementary mail on board up to the Korea 10,45 A M.) time fixed for departure of the mail, Registration, Kowloo Extra Postage 10 cents) B.O.10.00 A. No late fee Letters 11.00 A. Saturds 2, 16th, 10.00 A. Taington, Chofoo, Nagasaki and Vladivostock .. Tungus Saturday, 16th, 1.15 P. Macao Sui Tai Saturday, 16th, 2.00 P. Singapore, Penang and Calentta Laisang Saturday, 16th, 2.90 P. Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow Haiching Saturday, 16th, 2.00 P. Singapore, Penang and Colombo 16th. 3.00 P. Saturday, Saigon.... 18th 11.10 A. Monday, Shantung Singapore

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Cement Co., Ld., Co.'s Office, 11 a.m.

TO-DAY.

TO-MORROW.

Sale, Japanese Curios, Sales Rooms,

Extraordinary General Meeting, Green Island

& Cc., Ld., Hongkong Hotel, noon. Sale, Chinese Ancient Weapons of War, etc. Sale Roem, Mr. C. de M. C. Vieira-Ribeiro, 2.30 p.m. OPIUM. March 14th. Quotations are: Allow conet. to I catty. Malwa New \$850 per pion! Malwa Old 1900 Malwa Older 1930 Malwa V. Old \$600 Persian fine quality Persian extra fine... Pates New ...

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PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Haiching, from Foothow, Mesars. A. L. Stein and Cooper, Master S.-Whiffield.

DEPARTED. E. Adams. Miss B. Adams. Miss Armitage, Prescott, Mr. Z. Pollock, Mr. Ruppel, Miss Jonkheer A. Ploos van Amstel (Consul General Rumpf, Mrs. A. F. D. Redford, Mr. and Mrs. for Norway, Corsul for Russia), Miss E. H. Rogers and children, Mr. Hugo, Ruck, Abbott, Mr. S. Arisaka, Mr. K. Aranaki, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. S. Rondon, Miss K. N. Ryley, Bolton, Mr. A. J. Boase, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mr. and Mrs. C Rose, Mrs. Ross and children Barretto, Mr. Ricardo Barretto, Mr. Sofia and servant, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schulz, Mrs. Barrette, Mr. Genaro Barrette, Mr. Trinidad | Gordon Smith, Miss Stevens Mrs. Julia Sarles, Barretto, Mrs. G. F. Bird, Mr. Baker, Mrs. Dr. Smend, Mr. and Mrs. Heinr. Schurings, Behrens and children. Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Mr. J. Sache, Mr. F. del Saz-Orozco, Mr. S. Bronan and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. Beckett- Sziley, Mr. Shibakawa, Mr. Shiots, Graf Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd and children, Mr. Kuno zu Solms-Rodelheim, Mr. W. v. Sheven, and Mrs. Browster, Mr. and Mrs. Boon and Mr. E. Siemssen, Mr. J. Shimmura, Mr. T. ohildren, Miss Byron, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. A. Shingu, Capt. T. Takarabe, Mrs. W. Takang, van Bruggen, Mr. J. H. Bulmer, Mr. D. H. Mr. J. W. U(z, Mr. W. v. Uffell, Mr. and Mrs. Baron, Rev. and Mrs. Bahr and children, M. L. de Vries and child. Graf Wartenberg, Mr. G. J. Brown, Mr. T. Bremer, Dr. and Mrs. Mr. F. E. Wills, Mrs. Weiler and children, Bromoers, Mr. R. Bohlke, Mr. and Mrs. P. | General Arzt a. D. Dr. Wilckens, Mr. Westra, Brunat, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bornemann and Mr. H. Wack, Mr. W. W. Wood, Mr. E. J. children, Consul Dr. Busse, Mrs. Buck and Walton, Mr. S. Weil, Mrs. Williams, H.E. Lill, Mr. Bal, Mrs. and Miss Berger, Miss Admiral, Baron G. Yamameto, and Mr. G. Caunter, Miss Clarke, Mrs. S. Chapmann, Miss Zettenstroom.

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "BENLAWERS," FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardons and/or extra hazardons Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods undelivered after the 15th insl. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 22nd inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chaled, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th inst., at 11 A.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Rougkong, 8th March, 1907.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship "LIBERIA,"

Captain Kerr, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before TO-HAY. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. All Claims must be presented within ten days

of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th inst. will be subject

to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 14th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,

Hongkong Office. Hongokng, 8th March, 1907.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FIRE P. & O.S. N. Co.'s Steamer

"MALTA," FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed AT THEIR RISK in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed This vessel brings on Cargo:-

From London, &c., ex s.s. "Moldavia." From Persian Gulf ex B. I. S. N. & B. & P. S. N. Co.'s Steamers.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before Goods not cleared by the 15th Mar., at 4 P.M.,

will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 8th March, 1907. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (Florio and Rubattino United Companies).

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowas of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ld., whence delivery may be obtained. Perishable Goods to be taken delivery of am mediately.

All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival, after which date Godowns. they cannot be recognised No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th inst. will be subject

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th inst, at 9.30 A.M. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Hongkong, 11th March, 1907. THE EAST ASIATIC COMPANY,

CARLOWITZ & Co.,

LIMITED, OF COPENHAGEN. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

IN HE Steamship

'SIBIRIEN.' having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are herebyinformed that their Goods, with the exception Al ABC 5th Ed., Western Union Codets used. of Opium, Tressure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hizardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowleon, whence deliver may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before MON-DAY, the lith inst., at 5 P.M. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on MONDAY, the 18th inst., at 2,30 р.м. All Claims must reach us before the 25th

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No Fire Immrance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 11th March, 1907.

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HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO & WEST RIVER STEAMERS

JOINT BERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LD., AND THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LI'.

HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

S.S. "HONAM," 2,363 tons, Captain H. D. Jones.
S.S. "POWAN," 2,338 tons, Captain W. A. Valentine.
S.S. "FATSHAN," 2,260 tons, Captain C. v. Lloyd.
S.S. "KINSHAN," 1,995 tons, Captain B. Branch.

S.S. "HEUNGSHAN," 1,998 tons, Captain R. D. Thomas. Departures from Hongkong to Canton daily at 8 a.m. (Sunday excepted), 10 p.m. (Saturday excepted).

Departures from Canton to Hongkong daily at 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Sunday excepted).

These Steamers, carrying His Majesty's Mails, are the largest and fastest on the River. Special attention is drawn to their Superior Saloon and Cabin Accommodation.

SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LD

HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. "SUI-AN," 1,651 tons, Captain E. H. Grainger. B.S. "SUI-TAI," 1,651 tons, Captain G. F. Morrison. Departures from Hongkong to Macco on week days at 8 a.m. from Douglas Wharf and at 2 p.m. from the Company's Wharf. On SUNDAYS SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSIONS leaving Hongkong at 9 A.M. from Douglas Wharf and from Macao at 5 p.m. The Company also runs a Steamer from Macao on Sunday Morning at 8 a.m. and from

Hongkong at 1 p.m. from the Company's Wharf. Departures from Macao to Hongkong on week days at 8 a.m. and 2 p.m.

CANTON-MACAO LINE.

8.8, "LUNGSHAN," 219 tons, Captain T. Hamlin: Departures from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 7.30 a.m. Departures from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7.30 a.m.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD., AND THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

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Goods not cleared by the 18th inst., at 4 P.M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Go

downs for examination by the Consignee's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the E. A. HEWETT.

Superintendent.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1907.



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THE GERMAN MAIL. The I.G.M. str. Zieten carrying the German. Mails with dates from Berlin of the 12th Feb. left Singapore on Sunday, the 10th inst.,, and may be expected here to-day, at noon,

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The C.N. str. Changsha left Manila on 13th March, at 4 p.m. and may be expected here to-morrow, 16th inst., at 8 a.m.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The T.K.K. str. America Maru is due to arrive at this port to-day, at daylight.

THE INDIAN MAIL The Indo-China str. Namsang from Calcutta. and the Straits left Slagapore for this port on Tuesday, the 12th March, afternoon. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The East Asiatic Co. str., Tranquebar left Kobe for this port on the 6th inst. and may be expected here to-day.

The C.N. str. Tean left Manila on 12th, p.m. and is due here to-day, at 8 s.m. The C.P.R. str. Tartur arrived Shanghai at 11 s.m. on Monday, the 11th March, and left

at 6 p.m. same day for Hongkong where she isdue to arrive at 6 p.m. to-day.

The P. & O. str. Japan left Singapore for this port on the 11th March, at 5 p.m.

The A. L. S. N. Co. str. Persia left Singa. pore for this port on the 10th March, and is due-here on the 17th March. The N.Y.K. str. Binge Maru (European Line) left Kobe via Moji and Shanghai for this

port on the 9th March, and is expected to arrivehere on the 18th March The J. C. J. L. str. Tilliwong left Macassar for this port on the 13th March, and may be expected here on or about the 18th March. The N.Y.K. str. Tolomi Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay via Colombo and Singapore for this port on the 1st March, and is expected

to arrive here on the 20th inst. The O. & O. str. Siberia will sail from Yokohama on the 12th March, and will therefore be due at this port about the 21st March. The C.N. str. Chingtu left Port Darwin on 12th March, at daylight, and may be expected

here on the ${f 23rd}$. The E. & A. str. Dorothy left Port Said for Hongkong direct on the 24th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the lat May. The str. Saint George sailed from New York for the Far East on the 13th Jan.



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